# **WOMAN RESCUES** AGED NEIGHBOR WRAPPED IN FIRE

Rushes Into Blazing Room and Uses Wrap to Put Out Flames.

cothing ablaze Mrs. Mary Vanhey, an aged and feeble woman, would have perished to-day at No. 1454 Brook avenue. Bronx, but for the bravery and

Mrs. Vanhey is in the Lebanon Hospital in a very precarious condition. with her hair and eyebrows destroyed by the flames, and suffering from severe burns about the arms and body. The doctors entertain hopes for her re-

The old woman had been busy in the kitchen when the light wrapper she wore became ignited by contact with the open grate of the range. The flames to beat them out with her hands, and she screamed in fright.

Mrs. Dunn, who occupies an adjoining flat, heard the cries and tried to This man of forty-three-Witzoff was enter the apartment. The door was locked, but the shrieks of the burning and burst through.

Mrs. Vanhey had fallen to the floor Dunn reached her. Wrapping the heavy cape she were around her friend, Mrs. Dunn beat out the flames until they were extinguished. Mrs. Vanhey was unconscious when Dr. Singer hurried

# MACEDONIAN BREAK

Lead to Trouble, Gives Turkey Another Chance.

LONDON, Feb. 14.-What is practically the break up of the European concome as a shack to the Chancelleries of markable career of matrimony just the Continent and England, partiularly ended. as a quiet diplomatic season had been anticipated. The assent of Germany to the management of Moroccan affairs by France, the conclusion of agreements to maintain the status quo in the Mediterranean and the opening of negotiations looking to treacties that should accomplish a similar purpose with regard o the North Sea, seemed to make the he powers most remote.

The conferences of the Ambassadors going on smoothly, when a bomb was thrown into camp by the announcement made by Baron Marschall Von Turkey consent to their demands.

sions in Macedonia of the latter State, the right of Austria-Hungary to secure a concession for the Novipazar railroad line, and the justice of Germany supporting her ally are recognized in England, but it is contended that the present time is inopportune for the raising of this point.

South street.

In a few weeks it developed that "Dr. Witzhoff," under the name of "Dr. George A. Muller," had married before at Boston, on Feb. 19, 1903, Miss Etta. Randall, a pretty brunette, then living of this point.

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It is now said that the official breaking up of all these international understandings will aggravate the Macedonian question, reopen the whole near Eastern problem, doubtless start a contest for railroad concessions which might lead to serious results, and which certainly will enable Turkey to postpone the efforms for which the Ambassadors have been working.

Randall, a pretty brunette, then living at Cambridge.

He got \$2,000 of Miss Randall's money and then deserted her for Mrs. Parkhill. Through an enemy who knew of his marriage to Miss Randall, Witzhoff's home was invaded at Bridgeport by the deserted wife. In the height of a great snowstorm the deserted Boston wife travelled to Bridgeport, found her

Old Man, Crazed by Robber's Nar- her revenge. cotic, Gashes His Throat.

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received a death blow yesterday when hoff, the most extensive and notorious bigamist of his time, was sentenced a Bristol, England, to seven years penal

The acknowledged husband of two certified wives. Witzhoff, in the matrimonial career just brought to an ignominious end, has beaten all longdistance records for bigamy.

The champion bigamist, who for a long time denied that he was masquerspread so rapidly that she was unable ading in England as plain Arthur Hynes, admitted his identity with Witzhoff before receiving sentence. His real name, however, is Frederick Schotze.

born in Neufchatel, Switzerland, in 1864 -has scattered throughout Europe and woman inside caused Mrs. Dunn to apprehend the danger of her friend, and he has been on earth. Indeed, the police she hurled herself against the panels of New York and London believe that Witzoff is exceedingly modest in his estimate of the number of his wives, and was enveloped in flames when Mrs. and that the correct number would be nearer one hundred than thirty-two. \$4,000 From First Wife.

There is no doubt that Witzhoff married every woman he could, and, as soon as he had possessed himself of her property descrited her. According stole from his first wife, whom he mar-ried in Montreal in 1896, was the largest flower he ever received.

The period of his remarkable matri-

nomial activities covered the nine years dating from the first marriage in 1996 SHOCK TO EUROPE dating from the first marriage in 1896, to the discovery of his crimes in 1905.
This would have given Witzhoff a yeartivities been evenly distributed; but considers dispositions were scarcer than elude acrest until his recent unmasking trial and sentence in England, as Arthur Kaiser's Action, Which May confiding dispositions were scarcer than

Witzhoff preferred widows to single women, because they were surer to have ready money from the first husband's life insurance or business.

Witzhoff came to the United States in 1881 and began the study of dentistry in Philadelphia. There, later, he was arrested for malpractice and placed under chance on him. rested for malpractice and placed under cert on the Macedonian question has bonds of \$5,000. Then he began the re-

rested for malpractice and placed under bonds of \$5,000. Then he began the remarkable career of matrimony just ended.

Mcets Mrs. Parkhill.

After deserting his first wife, whom he married in Montreal, Witzhoff, who travelled all over the United States in the pursuit of victims, became the husband of Mrs. Annie Otto Parkhill.

character on him.

Retribution met him finally at Aberdeen, Scotland, where he was arrested in January last for defrauding a woman he had married in Bristol.

When Witzhoff left New York in 1905 the number of his wives was officially abulated at sixty-one. It is almost certain that, with his known enterprise and reputation as a rapid wooser, he has now nearer one hundred women victims throughout the world.

It was while he was at work in the West Forty-second street dental parlor possibility of differences arising among divorced her first husband, and with a little money was keeping a furnished room house at No. 116 Shermerhorn at Constantinople also appeared to be street, Brooklyn, where she lived with her son Herbert

Borrowed \$3,000 from Her.

Mrs. Parkhill married him on Sept. 19, 1903, at the Lutheran Church, Eighth that Germany would no longer act with avenue and Fifty-seventh street, Man- the principle that has built up our immense business. We are the largest the other Powers in insisting that hattan, and then right on the heels of buyers in the market. We buy the highest standard qualities at the lowest the chime of the wedding march Dr. As to the cloud that has arisen be- Witzhoff borrowed \$3,000 of his bride's prices—AND SELL THEM TO YOU AT THE LOWEST PRICES. ween Russia and Austria-Hungary father to start a denta lestablishmen ever the projects for railroad exten- in Bridgeport, Conn., where they lived

missing husband and was about to ex-KNOCKED OUT, TRIES SUICIDE pose him, but an appeal to womanly pity made the wronged woman forget

Took \$15 From Boy's Bank.

Gebhardt Gaugel, an old plane maker, was taken to Bellevue Hospital from his home, at No. 867 ...msterdam avenue, today, with half a dozen wounds in his neck, which he inflicted with the idea of self-destruction. It will recover. Gaugel got knockout drops in a salcon a few menths ago and was robbed. He has since been irrational.

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Two days later Dr. Witzhoff had disappeared, taking \$15 from to toy bank of Herbert Parkhill. Then it was appeared, taking \$15 from to toy bank of Herbert Parkhill. Then it was peared, taking \$15 from to toy bank of Herbert Parkhill. Then it was peared, taking \$15 from to toy bank of No. 70 East One Hundred and Twenty-limit street, some five years before even the marriage to Etta Randall.

A Yonkers widow was next discovered as a victim; Miss Chapman, of Chicago; Marle Obermeyer, of Duluth, Minn., whom he robbed of \$1,500 and left an Piesner. of Milwaukae: Mary Thorpe, of Brooklyn—women from the North, East South and West all had been deceived by De Witzhoff.

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